House Resolution No. 4712

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Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on September 7, 1957, Charles Joseph Kiser took the hand of his beautiful bride, Karen Rosalie Tinker, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony officiated by the Reverend A.V. Alcorn at the United Methodist Church in Williamsville, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Charles and Karen Kiser have had the pleasure of raising three children, Rebecca, Jon, and Mark, and the privilege of spoiling six grandchildren; and

Whereas, Charles Kiser is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful thirty-two-year endeavor in public education, primarily in the Clearwater R-I School District; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Karen Kiser has further distinguished herself by also working for the Clearwater School District as a teachers aide and as a secretary for the Clearwater Army Corps of Engineers; and

Whereas, Charles and Karen Kiser have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Kiser, residents of Piedmont, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on September 9, 2007, in the community room at Trinity United Methodist Church:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Charles and Karen Kiser for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joseph Kiser.

Offered by _

Representative Mike Dethrow District No. 153

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4712, adopted September 12, 2007.